

MAY 03 2006

Express Mail No.: EV 460367610 US
Date of Deposit: May 3, 2006

Page 1 of 1
Attorney Docket No.: 21486-032

Please type a plus sign (+) in this box

+

PTO/SB (12-97)

Approved for use through 9/30/00. OMB 0651-0031

Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

Modified Form 1449/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (use as many sheets as necessary)					Application Number	09/436,184		
					Filing Date	November 8, 1999		
					First Named Inventor	Wands		
					Group Art Unit	1643		
					Examiner Name	Karen A. Canella		
					Attorney Docket Number	21486-032		
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Exam Initials	Cite No.	U.S. Patent Document No.	Issue Date	Name of Patentee(s) or Applicant(s)	Class	Sub Class	Filing Date If Appropriate	
U.S. PUBLISHED APPLICATION DOCUMENTS								
Exam Initials	Cite No.	U.S. Published Application No.	Published Date	Name of Patentee(s) or Applicant(s)	Class	Sub Class	Filing Date If Appropriate	
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Exam Initials	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document Office Number	Name of Patentee(s) or Applicant(s)			Date of Publication	Translation Yes No	
/KAC/	B1	WO 01/35102 A2	RHODE ISLAND HOSPITAL			05/17/01		

OTHER PRIOR ART – NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS							
Exam Initials	Cite No.	Name of Author, Title (when appropriate), Publication, Volume, Page(s), Date, Etc.					
/KAC/	C40	DATABASE BIOSIS, Accession No. PREV200100138523 & Lab. Invest. 81(1):208A (2001) abstract XP-002346829					
/KAC/	C41	DATABASE BIOSIS, Accession No. PREV200000506839 & Hepatology 32(4):322A (2000) abstract XP-002346830					
/KAC/	C42	Green et al. <i>Cancer Treat. Rev.</i> , 26(4):269-286 (2000)					
/KAC/	C43	Supplementary European Search Report for EP 02731861, mailed February 8, 2006.					

* a copy of this reference is not provided as it was previously cited by or submitted to the office in a prior application, Serial No. _____, filed _____, and relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. §120 (continuation, continuation-in-part, and divisional applications).

Examiner Signature	/Karen A. Canella, Ph.D./	Date Considered	03/19/2007
--------------------	---------------------------	-----------------	------------

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.